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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Applicants respectfully request the present Divisional Application of Serial No. 09/474,545, filed herewith, be amended as follows:

In the Title:

Please delete the title and replace with the following:

CAP WITH RETRACTABLE STYLUS

In the Related Applications:

Please delete the section entitled Related Applications and replace with the following:

*(a)* This application is a Divisional Application of U.S. Patent Application No. 09/474,545 filed December 29, 1999, which claims priority from Provisional Application No. 60/135,894 filed May 26, 1999 and Provisional Application No. 60/114,521 filed December 31, 1998 all of which are herein incorporated by reference.